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Applicant : Kyou-Yoon Sheem, et al.
Application No. : 09/710,490
Filed : November 10, 2000
Title : NEGATIVE ACTIVE MATERIAL SLURRY COMPOSITION FOR RECHARGEABLE LITHIUM BATTERY AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING NEGATIVE ELECTRODE USING SAME

Grp./Div. : 1745
Examiner : Laura S. Weiner

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office action of May 13, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 1, with the following amended paragraph:

The transition metals are selected from Mn, Ni, Fe, Cr, Co, Cu or Mo, the alkaline metals are selected from Na or K, the alkaline earth metals are selected from Ca or Mg, and the semi-metals are selected from B, Al, Ga, Si or Sn. The compound thereof may be any compound including the transition metals, the alkaline metals, the alkaline earth metals or the semi-metals.